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Brigadier General John E. Murray ✓  
Director of Special Investigations  
The Inspector General  
Headquarters, U. S. Air Force  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear General Murray:

Thank you for your letter of 24 November, advising me of your forthcoming retirement. I should like to take this opportunity to express our appreciation for the splendid cooperation which you have always extended to this Agency.

We shall look forward to working with General Breit, and we plan to invite him over in the near future for a briefing on the organization.

Please accept my warmest personal wishes for good health in your retirement.

Sincerely,

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C. P. Cabell  
General, USAF  
Deputy Director

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**Brigadier General John E. Murray**  
**Director of Special Investigations**  
**The Inspector General**  
**Headquarters, U.S. Air Force**  
**Washington 25, D. C.**

**Dear General Murray:**

Thank you for your letter of 24 November. I was pleased that you were kind enough to advise me of your retirement but sorry in the realization that it means the discontinuance of the association which personnel of the Central Intelligence Agency have enjoyed with you. We are grateful for the splendid cooperation you have always extended to us.

Please accept my warmest personal wishes for good health in your retirement.

We shall look forward to working with General Brett.

**Sincerely,**

**C. P. CABELL**  
**General, USAF**  
**Deputy Director**

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24 NOV 1958

General Charles P. Cabell  
Deputy Director of Central Intelligence  
2430 E Street, N. W.  
Washington, D. C.


Dear General Cabell:

In the very near future I will be retired from active duty in the United States Air Force. I wish to take this opportunity as one of my parting actions to convey to you my deep appreciation for the very fine cooperation we in OSI have received from your agency during the years of my service as Director of Special Investigations, USAF. Also, I shall always be grateful for the association which I have been privileged to have with you in regard to various important matters of a counterintelligence nature. This has indeed been a most profitable and pleasurable experience.

Brigadier General John M. Breit has been assigned to succeed me as Director of Special Investigations, effective 5 January 1959. I know that he will enjoy the very fine cooperative relationship that exists between our respective organizations.

With kindest personal regards and best wishes,

Sincerely,

  
JOHN E. MURRAY  
Brigadier General, U. S. Air Force  
Director of Special Investigations  
The Inspector General

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